

Fond du Lac County Health Department

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COVID-19 Data by Municipality Summary

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Summary

- According to local data, currently in Fond du Lac County the burden of confirmed COVID-19 cases is high. The past 2-week confirmed case rate for Fond du lac County is 300.2 per 100,000 population, a slight decrease from the 308.7 per 100,000 population case rate last week.
- Unusually high case rates, in part, due to small population sizes, were noted in the past two weeks for many municipalities.
- Increased physical distancing and mask wearing are recommended to reduce case counts and decrease spread of the virus. Keep social circles small and avoid crowded indoor spaces.

Background Information and Considerations

This report provides data on the confirmed COVID-19 cases from August 31 – September 13, 2020 for municipalities located within the Fond du Lac County Health Department jurisdiction. Data may be underreported for recent days because test results can take multiple days to be reported to the health department. Data are subject to change as cases are investigated, for example as updates or corrections are made to case information. As this is a weekly report for the past 14 days, there will always be a week of overlap between reports.

The COVID-19 data provided in this report is specific to the Fond du Lac County Health Department (FCHD) jurisdiction (population: 105,269). It does not include data or cases for the portions of municipalities that fall outside of Fond du Lac County, such as the City of Waupun. FCHD only provides case counts, case rates, and burden status based on the jurisdiction of Fond du Lac County. Case rates fluctuate greatly among municipalities with small population sizes. Interpret case rates with caution.

For additional Fond du Lac County Health Department COVID-19 information:

- FCHD COVID-19 webpage
- Data for Fond du Lac County
- Data by School District Weekly Summaries

Confirmed Cases by Municipality for the Past Two Weeks (August 31 – September 13)

Municipality	Confirmed Case Count for past 2 weeks	Case Rate (per 100,000)	Burden*	Population**
City of Fond du Lac	125	284.4	High	43,954
City of Ripon	29	360.6		8,042
Village of North Fond du Lac	6	117.5		5,106
Town of Taycheedah	25	568.2	The populations in these municipalities are too small to provide burden status. Case rates fluctuate greatly with small population sizes. Interpret with caution, rely more on case counts	4,400
Town of Fond du Lac	11	303.9		3,620
City of Waupun***	Less than 5			3,576
Town of Empire	13	432.9		3,003
Town of Friendship	5	179.3		2,788
Town of Auburn	9	366.6		2,455
Village of Campbellsport	5	243.4		2,054
Town of Lamartine	5	260.7		1,918
Town of Osceola	7	371.0		1,887
Town of Ashford	13	728.7		1,784
Town of Byron	Less than 5			1,702
Town of Calumet	Less than 5			1,578
Town of Eldorado	Less than 5			1,528
Town of Waupun	Less than 5			1,435
Town of Ripon	6	423.1	and trend of case counts over time to estimate	1,418
Town of Alto	8	671.1	risks. Data is suppressed for municipalities with fewer than five confirmed cases in the past two weeks.	1,192
Town of Marshfield	Less than 5			1,178
Town of Forest	Less than 5			1,160
Village of Rosendale	Less than 5			1,105
Village of Oakfield	5	463.8		1,078
Town of Eden	5	473.0		1,057
Village of Eden	Less than 5			906
Village of Brandon	5	618.8		808
Village of Mt. Calvary	Less than 5			799
Town of Springvale	0	0.0		753
Town of Rosendale	Less than 5			719
Town of Oakfield	0	0.0		714
Town of Metomen	Less than 5			709
Village of St. Cloud	Less than 5			478
Village of Fairwater	Less than 5			365
Fond du Lac County	316	300.2	High	105,269

^{*}Burden is based off of the case rate per 100,000 people in the past two weeks. See table on page 3 for more information on Burden Status. Visit the DHS website for more information on this indicator at the state level https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/local.htm

Note: The data for Fond du Lac County in this report is based on a different reporting period as compared to WI DHS COVID-19: Activity Level by Region and County, due to this the count and burden will not align with WI DHS data.

^{***}Fond du Lac County does not report for portions of the City of Waupun that fall outside of Fond du Lac County.

Burden Status	Case Rate per 100,000 residents in the past two weeks		
Low	Case rate is less than or equal to 10.		
Moderate	Case rate is greater than 10, but less than or equal to 50.		
Moderately High	Case rate is greater than 50, but less than or equal to 100.		
High	Case rate is greater than 100.		

Note: Case rate is determined by number of new confirmed cases during the past two weeks, divided by population in the municipality, multiplied by 100,000. Rates can fluctuate greatly with small population sizes making it difficult to call out high rates. The number of cases for each burden status refers to the number of confirmed cases during a two-week time span.

^{**}Population for municipality was retrieved from July 1, 2020 ESRI Census Block Apportionment Data Enrichment.